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News Letter

DECEMBER 3, 1976

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TIAA adjustment period ends Dec. 10

Faculty and staff members who wish to join or make an adjustment in their TIAA tax sheltered annuity must do so before Dec. 10. Any change made will become effective Jan. 1, 1977.

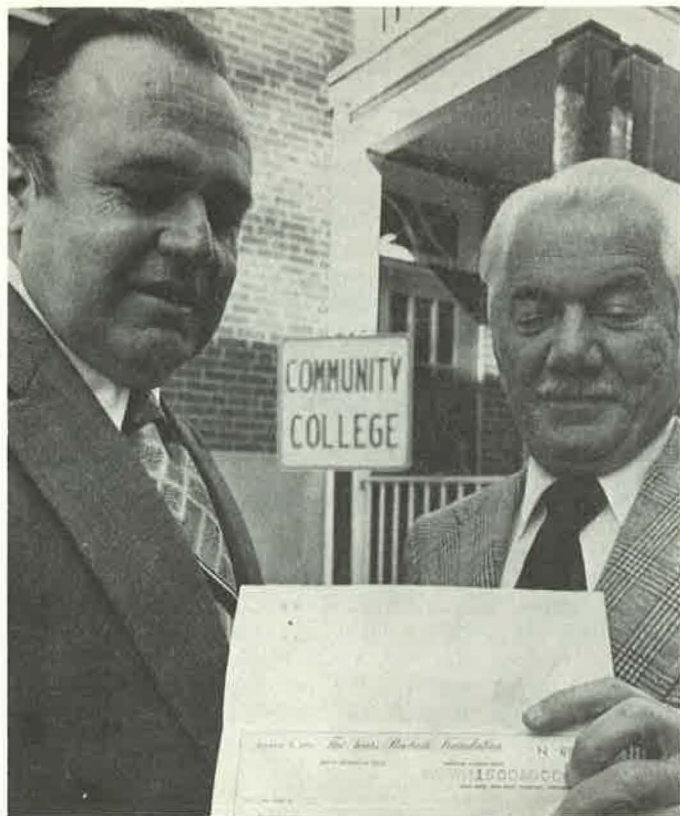
Contact Roger Hesson, director of employee benefits, Old Main Room 207, for assistance in completing the necessary forms.

FACULTY SERVICE DUES

Faculty members who have not paid their \$2 faculty service dues for the year may send a check made out to the Faculty Service Committee to Dr. Robert Maddox, History Department.

FOREIGN STUDY

Information has been received from the American Institute



STUDENT AID GIFT

Richard Monk, manager of the Sears, Roebuck and Co. store in Huntington, presents a \$1,500 check to Marshall President Robert B. Hayes for use in the Student Emergency Loan Fund program. The gifts from the Sears Roebuck Foundation is earmarked for use by Community College students.
(Photo by Bob Galbraith)

for Foreign Study regarding academic year and summer programs abroad. Any faculty member interested may review these materials in the College of Arts and Sciences office.

RECREATIONAL NEEDS MEETING

A meeting to assess the interest in an off-campus outdoor facility for Marshall's education-recreation needs will be held Monday, Dec. 6, at 2 p.m. in Memorial Student Center, Room 2W10.

If your department is to be represented, please call Robert Raus, 6490.

CONCERT TODAY

Two music majors, Lisa Trumbore of Charleston and Robert Leete of Huntington, will appear in a joint recital at 8 p.m. today in Smith Recital Hall.

The program is open to the public without charge.

Miss Trumbore, a soprano, is a student of Jane B. Shepherd, professor of music. Leete is a trumpet student of J.D. Folsom, associate professor of music.

MU THEATER PRODUCTION

Two more performances of "A Thurber Carnival" are scheduled by Marshall University Theatre at 8 p.m. today and Saturday (Dec. 3-4) in Old Main Auditorium.

The production which includes 17 humorous sketches is based on a book by James Thurber, according to Clayton Page, professor of speech and theatre director.

Tickets will be available at the door.

CLARINET RECITAL

Cheri Smith, Huntington senior, will give a recital Thursday, Dec. 9, at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall.

Miss Smith is a clarinet student of Thomas O'Connell, associate professor of music. Appearing on the program with Miss Smith will be George Persinger on trumpet.

The event is open to the public without charge.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

President and Mrs. Hayes will host a Christmas Party for all MU employees—current and retired—and their families from 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. Tuesday, Dec. 14, in the Multi-Purpose Room of Memorial Student Center.

There will be light refreshments and music and Santa Claus is expected to visit.

Faculty and staff achievements, activities...

DR. ROBERT D. GOODLETT, director of Special Services/Upward Bound, has been appointed to the National Council for the Social Studies Advisory Committee on Rural Culturally Different. His three-year term begins Jan. 1, 1977. Dr. Goodlett attended the NCSS annual convention Nov. 4-8 in Washington, D.C.

DR. KAREN SIMPKINS, assistant professor of socio-

logy/anthropology, attended the recent 75th annual meeting of the American Anthropological Association in Washington, D.C., where she was named secretary of the luncheon-roundtable symposium-discussion for nutritional anthropology, a subdivision of the Medical Anthropology Committee.

DR. ROBERT L. BROWN, professor of finance and insurance, has had an article, "Life Insurance: Protective, Leverage and a Fair Game," published in the Spring Issue of the Dekalb Business and Economic Journal, Vol. 3, Number 4.

Campus job openings

Marshall's Personnel Office has announced openings for the following positions:

Secretary—Athletics, closes today (Dec. 3).

Secretary—Student Affairs, closes today (Dec. 3).

Manager Administrative Services—Plant Operations, closes Dec. 8.

For further details or to apply for any of the above positions contact the Personnel Office, Old Main Room 207.

NEWCOMERS

Newcomers to the campus include:

DAVID M. SULLIVAN, systems analyst, Computer Center; AVANELLE B. LAY, keypunch operator, Computer Center, and JOHN R. SPRADLING, laborer, Buildings and Grounds.

WELCOME TO MARSHALL!

Personnel personals

Congratulations to Debbie Basham, typist for the Occupational, Adult and Safety Education Department, on the Nov. 16 birth of a baby boy, Brett Albert, 6 lbs. and 4½ oz.

Getting married? Moving? Proud of an achievement by your spouse or children? There's a place in your News Letter for personal items about you, your friends and your family. We'll publish the information if you will drop a note to Judith Casto in the Office of Informational Services.

Excused absences...

Absences have been excused by the respective college deans for the following:

NOV. 18-19—varsity wrestling team.

GIFTED CHILDREN ASSOCIATION

The West Virginia Association for Gifted Children will meet at 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, Dec. 15, at the Marshall University Memorial Student Center. A film, "Why Man Creates," will be shown. There will be a 20 minute business session. Parents and teachers may bring their children.

CUNY HUMANITIES FELLOWSHIPS

Humanities faculty who received doctorates in 1974 or later may apply for a \$12,000 fellowship at City University in New York for the 1977-78 year. Information on the post-doctoral program is available from the Graduate School Office.

Journalism Department awarded research grant

The Department of Journalism at Marshall University has been awarded a \$500 grant from the Reader's Digest Foundation, according to Dr. Deryl R. Leaming, chairman of the department.

"Grants will be made out of this fund to students to cover their expenses for news research projects," Dr. Leaming said.

He pointed out that money from the Reader's Digest Foundation will be used primarily to assist students involved in news research projects with their travel expenses.

"Any student who needs to travel to complete a news research project may apply for money to offset the cost of travel as well as incidental expenses related to the project itself," Dr. Leaming said.

MU Music Department to present 'Creation'

Marshall University's Choral Union and Community Orchestra will present two performances of "The Creation" by Haydn at 8 p.m. in Smith Recital Hall Monday and Tuesday, Dec. 6-7.

The Marshall Music Department's annual winter concert will feature 130 singers and 45 orchestral players under the direction of Dr. Paul Balshaw, professor of music. The two musical groups include several area residents in addition to student members.

The event is open to the public without charge.

Health division sponsors enrichment program

The health division of the Health, Physical Education and Recreation Department, held an enrichment program for students and faculty Nov. 22-23 with Dr. Tim Craig of the American Dental Association as lecturer. He discussed several topics, including "Drug Abuse," and "Athletic Injuries." Craig was employed by the American Medical Association from 1970 to 1975.

SUMMER INSTITUTES

Details are available in the Graduate School Office concerning Summer Institutes for Humanists, Behavioral Scientists and Biological Scientists at the Center for Advanced Study in the Behavioral Sciences at Stanford University. Stipends of \$2,500 are available for the six-week sessions on "Freedom and Causality."